## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action dated June 23, 2008, please amend this application as follows: